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MEDIA ADVISORY Maryland Commission on Civil Rights Recruiting New Executive Director

Baltimore, **MD** – The Maryland Commission on Civil Rights (MCCR) is recruiting a new Executive Director. Applications will be accepted until 11:59 p.m. on November 12, 2013.

The Executive Director is responsible for the overall day-to-day management of all administrative and programmatic activities required of this independent agency and as directed by a nine-member Board of Commissioners. The Executive Director is also responsible for fostering positive community relations throughout the State, including educating the public about the MCCR's role.

Candidates should be energetic, creative, strategic, and have the ability to lead the agency through new challenges in the 21st century. Candidates should be able to communicate effectively with staff, the public, and government officials. The successful candidate must also have the ability to balance hands-on administration with the ability to develop strategic partnerships, and represent MCCR throughout the State.

Minimum qualifications for candidates include possessing both a bachelor's degree from an accredited college/university and five years of managerial experience. Candidates with an advanced degree, managerial experience in civil rights and anti-discrimination work (or a closely related field), and/or prior government experience are preferred.

Interested candidates must visit the Department of Budget & Management's recruitment page for additional information on the position, as well as instructions on how to apply. Any further inquiries on the recruitment should be directed to Ms. Denise Carter-McCormick at (410) 767-4932. Please visit: http://jobaps.com/MD/sup/bulpreview.asp?R1=13&R2=007226&R3=001

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